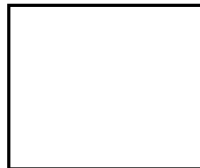


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1. Attached is an Intelligence Monograph prepared by the Center for the Study of Intelligence. Entitled "Integrated Community Production of National Current Intelligence -- The Pros and Cons," it was forwarded to you by [redacted] with a note that it might be worth some of your time. I'm not so certain.

2. The monograph discusses the possibility of establishing a National Center for Current Intelligence (NCCI), staffed by personnel from all intelligence agencies. The conclusions and recommendations of the paper are almost wholly negative: effort would be too costly, in terms of bureaucratic disruption as well as budgetary outlays; major difficulties would crop up in getting certain agencies to provide qualified personnel; therefore, the product would be inferior to what CIA is providing; further consideration might be valid if the community were restructured; meanwhile, DDI might look into co-opting other Agencies' personnel in the production of current intelligence.



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